



Bristol Township School District

Upcoming Presentations for Parents and Guardians

Wednesday, October 16, 2013

Straight Talk for Parents a program designed to educate parents about emerging drug trends; signs and symptoms of teen drug use; and assists parents in the development of communication skills to speak and listen to their children about substance abuse. This link <http://www.straighttalkforparents.org/news-events/events-archive/straight-talk-for-parents---bristol-township-school-district/> will provide you with the following:

1. ***Straight Talk for Parents*** webpage filled with many resources for you and your children.
2. Link to register for the event.

This program is presented by Drug Free Pennsylvania, Inc. <http://drugfreepa.org> from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 23, 2013

Bullying Prevention Education Program designed to education parents and guardians about the following:

- The Mechanics of Bullying - *What does bullying look like today?*
- Impacts of Bullying - *How does bullying impact children and a school community?*
- Commonly Used Cell Phone Apps - *Does your child use Snapchat, Instagram, Ask.Fm, Kik, Omegle, Etc.?*
- Commonly Used Social Media Sites - *Is your child active on Facebook, Twitter, Skype, MySpace, Etc.?*
- Signs and Symptoms of Bullying - *How do I know if my child is bullying or being bullied?*
- Appropriate Responses to Bullying - *How should my child respond to bullying behaviors?*
- What Parents/Guardians can do to Help - *What role do parents and guardians play?*

This program is presented by NOVA www.novabucks.org from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Operation Safe Surf for Parents – Learn how to keep your children safe from online predators.

Internet safety is rapidly becoming one of the toughest issues facing parents today. As Pennsylvania's top law enforcement officer, the Office of Attorney General has made it a top priority to guard children against sexual predators, creating the Child Predator Unit to investigate and capture online child predators before they strike.
<http://www.attorneygeneral.gov/kidsparents.aspx?id=1559>

This program is sponsored by State Representative Tina Davis in partnership with the Pennsylvania Attorney General Kathleen Kane, and the Pennsylvania State Police from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.

These two evening events will be held at the **Bristol Township School District Administrative Offices – Auditorium**, 6401 Mill Creek Road, Levittown, Pennsylvania 19057.

If you have any questions about these programs, please contact the Guidance Department of Neil A. Armstrong Middle School by calling 215-945-2570. Mrs. Barbara Brescia-Pitts, Seventh Grade School Counselor, or Miss Karla Jones, Eighth Grade School Counselor, will be happy to assist you.

